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Have been a study with me, and in anticipating these needs, I have bought a complete line of

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My Rubber Tire plant will fit new tires on your wheels while you wait. My trade in this branch has been large.

Call on me before you buy.

J. Simms Wilson.

STAGE STORIES.

Amusement Announcements, Lobby Chat-ter—Odd Bits of Gossip.

Queen Victoria has prohibited the docking of her horses' tails, and has persuaded the Prince of Wales to follow her example.

A young lady in St. Louis, Tuesday, had a street car conductor arrested for making "Goo, Goo," eyes at her.

RETURN OF THE FAVORITES.

The management of the Grand Opera House announces with pleasure a special return engagement of the Keystone Dramatic Company for four nights and Wednesday matinee, of next week, opening Monday night with the greatest play of the century, "A Soldier of the Empire." This company played a one-night's engagement here recently, and is by far the best popular price organization that ever visited Paris. On Monday night ladies will be admitted free if accompanied by a paid 30-cent ticket, but it must be reserved at Brooks' drug store before 6 p. m. Monday.

On Tuesday evening Manager Porter, in conjunction with Manager Shipman, have tendered a reception to the local lodge of Elks. Every member of the lodge is cordially invited to be present, and will be admitted on presentation of his lodge card at the door.

There is no reason why the company should not break the record for attendance at the Grand during the coming week.

OBITUARY.

Charles H. Pinkham, proprietor of the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company, died Saturday at Lynn, Mass., aged 56. Near Riddles Mills, Tuesday, of Bright's disease, Mr. John Fisher, aged about seventy years.

Mrs. Zerelda James, widow of the noted bandit, Jesse James, died at Kansas City, Tuesday. She leaves one child, Jesse, Jr., now in business at Kansas City.

The funeral of Captain J. Harvey Myers, who died in Fleming, took place Wednesday, the interment with the honors of Oddfellowship, being in the Flemingsburg Cemetery.

Mr. Albert Mitchell, of Winchester, who married Miss Vertna Garner, who frequently visited Paris, died Wednesday on his road home from Colorado Springs. He died while on the train.

Big cut in prices of Ladies' Suits, Capes, Jackets and Furs, at Frank & Co.'s.

BIRTHS.

To the wife of John Moore—nee Taylor at Georgetown—a daughter.

SHORT NEWS STORIES.

Brief Paragraphs About Important Happenings.

The N. Y. Presbtery has decided against revision by a vote of 100 to 33. Receipts of undelivered mail matter last year increased nearly 10 per cent. There were 7,536,158 letters sent to the Dead Letter Office. They contained \$44,140 in cash and \$1,136,645 in drafts, notes and money orders.

I have a few good buggies yet on hand which I close out at cost. JAMES H. HAGGARD.

MILLERSBURG.

Mrs. Wm. Payne is much better.

Mrs. W. M. Miller is not much improved.

E. P. Clarke and John Peed are in Cincinnati this week.

Miss Octava Cassidy is the guest of Miss Laura Letton, near town.

Miss Annie Vansant, of Elizaville, is the guest of Mrs. Ella Paxton.

Robt. Miller sold Nathan Bayless a nice harness gelding for \$150.

The telephone rates from here to Carlisle and Paris are only 10c.

Ed Cheney has rented the farm of Nat Callier near Riddles Mills.

Mrs. Mary Howard, of Carlisle, is the guest of her son, C. W. Howard.

BORN.—To the wife of Andy McCabe, last week, a daughter—second born.

Mrs. Wm. Milan, of Louisville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Phillips.

SHADE TREES.—Have a nice lot of shade trees for sale. T. M. PURSELL.

Mr. Wm. Layson shipped a car of hogs of his own raising to Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Best, of Mason, were guests of relatives here this week.

Mrs. Winters, of Ronick station, was the guest Monday of her niece, Mrs. Joe Mock.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mock have gone to Carr's Station, on the C. & O. for a visit.

Mr. Robert and Miss Sue Wood, of Stanford, are guests of Mrs. Sanford Allen.

The Arkansas fishing and hunting party left Thursday. There were six in the party.

Dr. L. H. Landman, of Cincinnati, oculist, will be at the Fleming House to-morrow.

Mr. G. W. McIntyre is laid up from an accidental cut in his limb with a butcher knife.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Vimont went to Minerva to attend the Frazee-Hurlong wedding.

Mrs. E. J. Owens has returned from a visit with her son, Hon. W. C. Owens, at Georgetown.

Elder G. W. Nutter returned Monday where he held a successful meeting in Pendleton county.

Mr. Arthur Thompson, of Chicago, is here visiting his parents, and to see his sister, who is very ill.

Charles Bryan, Charles Clarke, Jr., and H. H. Phillips have returned from a fishing trip in the mountains.

Miss Alice Thompson, daughter of E. P. Thompson, is very ill. She is not expected to live but a few days.

Dr. Huffman and wife have returned from Cincinnati with their little daughter, Francis, who is no better.

The concert to be given by the choir of the M. E. Church has been postponed until Wednesday, November 28th.

Mrs. C. B. Smith and daughter, Martha, are visiting their uncles, Broad and Aaron Smedley, at Hutchison.

Misses Katie and Julia Miller entertained the Epworth League. About twenty were present and nicely entertained.

Dr. Charles Swift, of Winchester, was here Tuesday and vaccinated for Jeff Vimont fifty-three cattle for the Blackleg. Four calves died the night before.

T. F. Fleming, Wm. Vimont, Will Brown and O. K. Linville are hunting in Robertson county. A score of hunters have passed here from other points in Bourbon.

Mr. Pelham Jones and daughter have returned from a month's visit to Pine Bluff, Ark., for his health. He reports fine hunting—50 birds for an ordinary shoot and 50 pounds of fish with hook at any time. The crops are fine and people are prosperous.

J. T. McMILLAN, dentist, office over THE NEWS, on Broadway. (tf)



BEST ON EARTH, IS THE HANAN SHOE!

If you have made up your mind to buy good Shoes, why not buy a pair of Hanan Shoes? There is but one thing to do—investigate the Hanan Shoe, and you will admit it has no equal. Perfect Workmanship, Perfect Style, Perfect Comfort, Perfect Durability, Fully Guaranteed Fall styles made in Enamel Vici Kid, Velour Calf, Patent Vici: Widths, B to E. Have the exclusive sale for this city.

GEO. McWILLIAMS.



IRON BEDS!

Having purchased a large stock, we will now give you ROCK BOTTOM prices. If you call at our store and look for yourself you will be convinced. Also a nice line of Misses Rockers. They are selling fast. Come and get one. Don't let this Sale slip. This is for ten days only.

A. F. WHEELER'S

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NEXT DOOR TO HOTEL WINDSOR. - - - PARIS, KY

NORTHERN SEED WHEAT,

SEED RYE,

NEW TIMOTHY SEED.

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Harry Simon

PURCHASED AT A GREAT BARGAIN THE ENTIRE STOCK OF

The Paris Cash Shoe Store, WHICH HE WILL NOW OFFER AT

50 Cents on the Dollar

OF WHOLESALE MANUFACTURER'S PRICE.

It has been arranged for the Big Shoe Sale to be held at the "Old Place" just vacated by Harry Simon. The entire stock of Shoes of the Paris Cash Shoe Store has been moved to the "Old Place" and the Sale commenced!

Saturday, Nov. 3, 1900.

They must be closed out at once and the low prices quoted below will make them go quick. You can't afford to miss getting your share. All are good Shoes of best makes and fashionable shapes—to go at 50 cents on the dollar—just half of regular price.

MEN'S SHOES.

Lot, former price \$1.25, now at... 79 Cts.
Flow Shoes, former price \$1.25, now at... 79 "
Men's Shoes, former price \$1.50, now at... 98 "
Lot of Men's Bostonian, formerly \$3.50, now at... \$2.49
Lot of Nettleton's Shoes, formerly \$5, now at... 2.98
Lot of High Cuts, formerly \$2, now 1.48
Lot of High Cuts, formerly \$3, now 1.98
Lot of High Cuts, formerly \$3.50, now 2.24

LADIES' SHOES.

Lot of \$1.25 quality, now at... 79 Cts.
Lot of \$1.50 quality, now at... 98 "
Lot of Ladies' Oxfords, formerly \$1.25, now... 69 "
Lot of Ladies' Oxfords, formerly \$1.50, now... 79 "
Lot of Ladies' Oxfords, formerly \$2, now... \$1.24
Lot of Ladies' Oxfords, formerly \$3, now... 1.49
Regina Shoe, formerly \$3, now... \$2.50

MISSES' SHOES.

Lot of Misses' Shoes, formerly \$1.50, now... 79 Cts.
Lot of Misses' Shoes, formerly \$2, now... \$1.24

INFANTS' SHOES.

Lot of Infants' Shoes, 25c quality, go at... 9 Cts.
Lot of Infants' Shoes, 50c quality, go at... 24 "

CHILD'S SHOES.

Lot of Child's Shoes, 75c quality, go at... 49 Cts.
Lot of Child's Shoes, \$1 quality, go at... 69 "

BOYS' SHOES.

Lot of Boys' Shoes, \$1.50 quality, go at... 79 Cts.
Lot of Boys' Shoes, \$2.00 quality, go at... \$1.24
Lot of Boys' Shoes, \$2.25 quality, go at... 1.49

BOOTS.

Veal Boots, worth \$3.50, go for... \$1.98
Kip Boots, worth \$2.50, go for... 1.49
Duck Skin Boots, worth \$4, go for... 2.69
Raw Hide Boots, worth \$3, go for... 1.98
Snan-Proof Gum Boots, worth \$3.75 2.74
Lined Boots, worth \$3.50, go for... 2.34

IMPORTANT—Shoes must be tried on at the store and cannot be exchanged after taking them out. The prices are so low we cannot deviate from this rule.

Harry Simon's Old Stand.

THE POSTAL SERVICE.

It is Reported in a Satisfactory Condition in the Philippines.

A System of Inspection, Has Been Inaugurated in the Archipelago That Meets All the Requirements.

Washington, Nov. 13.—Special Agent J. W. Erwin, of the post office department, who has just returned from an investigation of the postal service in the Philippines, has reported to the postmaster general that the affairs of the department of posts there are in a most satisfactory condition, particularly as regards finances. The report says that Director General Vail personally receives all stamped papers sent to the department of posts, and counts it in the presence of two witnesses. In addition to the regular ledger accounts kept by the cashier, Mr. Vail keeps a private account of the receipts and issues of stamped papers. This is a perfect check on the cashier's account and enables him at any moment to know for himself the condition of his postal accounts.

No one has access to the principal stock of stamped papers but the director general. Mr. Erwin says the system of accounts kept by the cashier is entirely satisfactory, the books being well kept and posted daily. The director general exercises a careful personal supervision of the accounts of all the offices and stations throughout the archipelago and has inaugurated a system of inspection to meet all requirements. What impressed the inspector the most, he says, was the simplicity of the methods adopted and the conservative character of the supervision.

It has not been deemed necessary to organize numerous bureaus and the work of the department has been arranged so as to secure the best results with the least expenditure of money. There were 305 natives, Filipinos and Spanish, on the payroll of the postal and telegraph service in Manila at the time of the military occupation. The entire service in the archipelago now employs only 58 Americans and 55 natives, exclusive of the soldiers detailed at military stations, where the work is wholly performed by the military forces. The services of the natives are reported satisfactory.

The inspector reports that the salary allowances are moderate, not greater than would be paid in the United States, although the cost of living is greater in the Philippines. He says there is nothing to attract people after the novelty wears off, and better allowances may have to be made. The postal service in the Philippines is absolutely dependent for transportation of mails on the military service and the report says that higher military officers favor active co-operation along this line, this is not secured sufficiently to insure good service. The report says under present conditions it is not advisable to increase the number of post offices, there being now of post offices and 21 stations.

COLOSSAL TELESCOPE.

Prof. Pickering Begins the Erection of an Observatory at Woodlawn, Jamaica.

Kingston, Jamaica, Nov. 13.—Prof. Pickering, of Harvard university, has begun the erection of an observatory at Woodlawn, near Mandeville, for his colossal telescope.

He hopes to take observations of the planet Eros early in December, and will, subsequently, undertake observations of the moon and Mars. Important results are expected.

Polk's Home Sold.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 13.—The land on which stands the old home of James K. Polk, and in which he died, has been sold to J. W. Gates, of Chicago, and J. Craig McLaughlin, of this city, for \$30,000. The old house is being torn down, and its place will be taken by an apartment house costing \$100,000, to be named in honor of the former president.

Troops Recalled From Porto Rico.

Washington, Nov. 13.—An important order putting Porto Rico on a peace basis, and involving the recall of 1,000 American troops and the discontinuance of the classification of that island as a separate military department, was issued by the war department Monday. Hereafter Porto Rico will be attached to the department of the east, headquarters of which are in New York city.

Will Accept the Challenge.

Chicago, Nov. 13.—Chicago yachtsmen will accept challenges for the Canada cup issued by the Royal Canadian Yacht club of Toronto. According to President T. J. O'Brien, of the Chicago Yacht club, a syndicate will be formed just as soon as the official challenge arrives, for the purpose of getting a cup defender ready for the race next summer.

Death of Marcus Daly.

New York, Nov. 13.—Marcus Daly, the copper king, died Monday. He had been ill for many weeks at the Hotel Netherlands of Bright's disease. Several times recently the end seemed near, but Mr. Daly showed wonderful vitality and rallied.

Capt. Murray Is Dead.

Kingston, N. Y., Nov. 13.—Capt. Lawrence M. Murray, who commanded the famous confederate cruiser Nashville, before her capture by the confederate government, is dead at his home in Malden.

TO WATCH THE COUNT.

Both Parties in Kentucky Preparing for the Congressional Contests—Taylor's and Finley's Cases.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 14.—The state election board will meet December 3 to canvass the returns and officially declare the result of the election in this state. While the republican party authorities have formally conceded the election of Beckham as governor and have announced that there will be no contest, both republicans and democrats will be represented by counsel at the canvass of the vote. And every phase of the election will be closely watched by both sides as matter may arise in the board which will have a bearing on the prospect of contests for congress in the two districts—the Third and Ninth, where the vote was very close.

Gov. Beckham will be inaugurated December 11. It is said one of the first official papers Gov.-elect Durbin, of Indiana, will have to consider when he takes office, will be a requisition from Gov. Beckham for the return of former Gov. Taylor and ex-Secretary of State Finley to this state for trial. Leading republicans claim to have assurances from Indiana republican leaders that Mr. Durbin will follow the precedent set by Gov. Mount in these cases and will refuse to honor the requisition.

THE CABINET.

President McKinley Announced That He Desires the Present Members to Remain With Him.

Washington, Nov. 14.—President McKinley Tuesday announced clearly and forcefully to the members of his cabinet his desire that they should all remain with him during the four years of his coming administration. His wishes were made known in an extended speech at the cabinet meeting in the white house Tuesday. Responses were made by all of the members present, and, while there were no definite pledges from any of them that they would accept the portfolios thus tendered afresh, there was, on the other hand, no definite declination.

Tuesday's proceedings set forth the wishes of the president in the matter and relieves the members of the cabinet of the customary obligation of tendering their resignations at the end of the term unless they have made an irrevocable decision that it will be impossible for them to continue in office. It also sets at rest speculation and state-making for the country's political prophets, for it is understood generally that there is but one doubtful factor in the homogeneity of the present cabinet. That factor is Attorney General Griggs, as he holds his present position at a great financial sacrifice. Still, Mr. Griggs replied in terms of warm appreciation to the complimentary remarks of the president.

DEAD LETTER OFFICE.

A Large Increase in Total Receipts of Undelivered Mail Matter Over the Previous Year.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The annual report of the superintendent of the dead letter office shows the large increase of total receipts of undelivered mail matter over the previous year of nearly 10 per cent. The number of pieces of matter received from all sources were 7,536,158, against 6,855,983 for the preceding year.

Letters and parcels held for postage numbered 144,519, and the misdirected 422,793. Nearly 35,000 letters were received which bore no addresses whatever. The letters addressed to the guests of hotels and undelivered numbered 269,624.

The total number of unclaimed parcels of all descriptions was 180,914. There were 660,461 pieces of mail matter addressed to foreign countries and returned from there as undelivered. The number of letters and parcels opened was 6,676,003, an increase over the preceding year of 9 1/2 per cent.

There were 50,553 letters containing an aggregate of \$44,140, and letters containing drafts, notes, money orders, etc., of the face value of \$1,136,545. Foreign letters and parcels found undeliverable and returned to countries of origin numbered 606,412.

SOUTHWEST AFRICA.

Permission Given to 15,000 Transvaal Boers to Trek Through German Territory.

Berlin, Nov. 14.—The government has officially informed the colonial council that it will gladly grant permission to 15,000 Transvaal Boers to trek through the Kalahari desert to territory in German Southwest Africa.

Arrangements are therefore being made to welcome the vanquished Boers as a new and valuable element for the colony. The Lokal Anzeiger points out that Bismarck in 1893 spoke encouragingly of Boers as an acquisition for that part of Germany's colonial empire.

Secretary Root in Havana.

Havana, Nov. 14.—Elihu Root, United States secretary of war, arrived here Tuesday evening on the Ward liner Morro Castle, which left New York Saturday afternoon. The steamer made the passage in three days and four hours.

On a Vacation.

Paris, Nov. 14.—United States ambassador to France, Gen. Horace Porter, left Paris Tuesday morning on a vacation. He will be absent about six weeks and will spend the time mostly in the southern part of Spain.

ENGLISH COMMENTS.

Agitated Concerning Stability of the Concert of Powers in China.

It Is Thought That China Will Accede to All the Terms of the Conjoint Note Except the Execution of Princes.

London, Nov. 13.—Dr. Morrison, writing to the Times from Peking Sunday, says:

"Pressed by the common desire for a speedy termination of present conditions the foreign envoys have finally agreed to the following terms, to be presented in a conjoint note which, subject to the approval of the governments, will be pressed upon China as the basis of a preliminary treaty:

"China shall erect a monument to Baron Von Ketteler on the site where he was murdered and send an imperial prince to Germany to convey an apology.

"She shall inflict the death penalty upon 11 princes and officials already named and suspend provincial examinations for five years where the outrages occurred. In future all officials failing to prevent anti-foreign outrages within their jurisdiction shall be dismissed and punished. (This is a modification of Mr. Conger's proposal).

"Indemnity shall be paid to the states, corporations and individuals.

"The Tsung Li Yamen shall be abolished and its functions vested in a foreign minister. Rational intercourse shall be permitted with the emperor, as in civilized countries. The forts at Taku and the other forts on the coast of Chi Li shall be razed and the importation of arms and war material prohibited. Permanent legation guards shall be maintained and also guards of communication between Peking and the sea.

"Imperial proclamations shall be posted for two years throughout the empire suppressing Boxers.

"The indemnity is to include compensation for Chinese who suffered through being employed by foreigners, but not compensation for native Christians. The words missionary and Christians do not occur in the note."

London, Nov. 14.—The London morning papers are again agitated concerning the stability of the concert of the powers in China. The attitudes of Germany and the United States meet with disapproval, the former because Count Von Waldersee has sent a column to destroy the Ming Tombs, an act which is regarded as needlessly vindictive and the latter because it threatens to break up the concert.

The Daily Chronicle comments strongly upon the American attitude as "feeble compromise which it is impossible to accept."

The Morning Post says: "It would be unreasonable for the United States to break up the concert because they do not desire indemnity. The powers would probably be willing to consider America's objections. If, however, the United States have in view some new combination of powers it would be necessary for Great Britain and Germany to agree upon a common policy to be pursued in the absence of a general agreement."

The Standard, which dismisses the subject with a mere reference, says: "American opinion on the Chinese problem is too uncertain to be considered seriously."

Dr. Morrison, writing to the Times on Sunday, expresses the opinion that China "will readily accede to all the terms of the conjoint note, except the execution of the princes and officials, which it will be impossible to fulfill while the court is in the hands of these very officials."

"Considerable curiosity is felt at Tien-Tsin," says the Shanghai correspondent of the Times, "as to the whereabouts of the Japanese forces, which, though not leaving the country, are disappearing from Peking and Tien-Tsin, it is not known whither."

Referring editorially to the present stage of the negotiations, the Times says: "The United States accepted the German note demanding the punishment of Prince Tuan and the other guilty officials, and it will not be harder to secure the punishment of 11 officials than of the three whose names were originally indicated by the state department. Therefore, it is difficult to see how America could justify in her own eyes a refusal to join with the other powers in steps necessary to secure this result."

Died While Talking to a Friend. Springfield, Ill., Nov. 14.—James Meldrum, of this city a veteran passenger engineer on the Illinois Central Railroad, died suddenly Tuesday night at Gilman, aged 55 years. He was sitting in a room, talking to a friend, when he dropped to the floor dead. He leaves a wife and a large family. Meldrum ran the first construction train out of Springfield when the Illinois Central was building.

Charged With Embezzlement.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 13.—Chas. W. Schneider, until recently auditor of the Brainerd & Northern Railway Co., has been taken into custody on a charge of embezzlement. The officers of the company refuse to state the amount of the defalcation.

The Date of Meeting Changed.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 13.—The date of the national convention of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks which meets here next year has been changed from the week of July 26 to that of July 23.

THE REAPPORTIONMENT.

It Is Thought the Next House Will Gain 18 Members Owing to the Increased Population.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Director of the Census Merriam was at the white house Tuesday. He called the attention of the president to the fact that the figures on the population of the United States, the total of which already has been announced, are in such shape that they will be at the disposal of congress when it meets for any action it may desire to take in the direction of a reapportionment bill. The reapportionment following the count of the 12th census will become operative by law in 1903.

There probably will be considerable increase both in the ratio and the total number of representatives under the new apportionment. Starting with a ratio of one to every 33,000 inhabitants, there were 65 representatives in the first congress. The 11th census in 1890 gave a population of 62,622,250, or an increase of 12,500,000. The ratio was 173,901 people to each representative and the house numbered 356 members. The ratio under the new census probably will reach 200,000. With an increase of 13,225,461 shown by the present census and letting majority fractions of the apportionment count for an additional member as has been the custom, this would make an increase of 18 members in the next house.

Reapportionment on this basis would cause only four states to lose representatives. They are Maine and Virginia in the east and Kansas and Nebraska in the west. These states would lose a member each. Any ratio smaller than 200,000, which would save them their full representation, would cause a considerable addition to the membership of the house.

GEORGIA'S LEGISLATURE.

W. J. Bryan Unanimously Elected President of the United States By That Body.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 14.—The Georgia legislature, being unable to adjourn November 6, unanimously elected Hon. W. J. Bryan "President of the United States." Mr. Bryan has acknowledged the compliment and a letter from him was read in the senate Tuesday by order of President Clark Howell. Mr. Bryan says:

"While the returns show that the decision rendered in my favor in Georgia has been overruled by the higher court, which includes the entire nation, yet I beg to express my appreciation of the confidence and good will expressed by the members of Georgia legislature.

"Yours truly,
W. J. Bryan."

THE NEGRO VOTE.

A Bill Introduced in the Georgia Legislature Similar to the North Carolina Law.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 14.—Representative Hardwick introduced a bill in the general assembly Tuesday providing for an educational and property qualification for suffrage of this state.

The bill is similar to that enacted in North Carolina. A bill similar to the one introduced Tuesday was presented at the last session of the legislature by Mr. Hardwick but failed of passage by a vote of 172 to 3.

The bill is expected to raise the issue of a constitutional convention for Georgia and is said to be presented for that purpose. If the measure should become a law it would greatly restrict the Negro vote of the state.

A HUGE CASTING.

Probably the Largest One Ever Made in the Country in the Molds at Milwaukee, Wis.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 14.—Probably the biggest casting ever made in the country was sent into the molds Tuesday at a local foundry. The casting is to be the bed plate for a blowing engine for a Pittsburgh concern and it weighs 110,000 pounds, all in one piece. In making it the workmen were required to pour 125,000 pounds of metal. The plate will be 23 feet 10 inches long, 9 feet 9 1/2 inches wide and 5 feet deep in the center. The cylinders of the engine will be two of 40 inches, one of 73 and the other of 76 inches, with a stroke of 60 inches.

Two Children Burned to Death.

Winterhaven, Fla., Nov. 14.—Two children of Mrs. Mira Gaines, who were locked in the house by their mother, were burned to death here Tuesday.

German Sausage Prohibited.

Berlin, Nov. 14.—The chamber of commerce of Brunswick has addressed a complaint to the government because Russia has prohibited the importation of German sausage.

Editorial Writer Dead.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—John W. Tindall, for 15 years an editorial writer of the Inter Ocean, died Tuesday after a short illness.

Emperor Will Visit Sweden.

Berlin, Nov. 14.—On the birthday of Dowager Empress Frederick November 21, Emperor William will visit Cronberg. From there he will go to Kiel from which point he will start for Sweden on the imperial yacht Hohenzollern.

A Water Outlet.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 14.—The Seaboard air line, it is said, has secured options on front property adjoining the Trigg ship yards for the purpose of establishing at Richmond, its northern terminal, a water outlet.

CHEAPER THAN A FUNERAL.

He Concluded to Pay the Doctor's Bill as an Economical Move.

A well-known North Dakota magistrate tells the following story, for the truth of which he vouches: At a small town in the state there were two doctors, one of whom had a great reputation for the cures he effected, and the other was not believed to be "much good." The favored doctor found his services in great request, but as payment was not always forthcoming he made a rule that a certain class of his patients should pay in advance.

One winter's night he was roused by two farmers from a hamlet ten miles away, the wife of one of whom was seriously ill. He told them to go to the other doctor, but they refused, saying they would prefer his services. "Very well," replied the doctor, "in that case my fee is ten dollars, the money to be paid now."

The men remonstrated, but the doctor was obdurate, and shut down his window. He waited, however, to hear what they would say. "Well, what will we do now?" asked the farmer whose wife was ill. And the reply that was given must have been as gratifying as it was amusing to the listening doctor. It was:

"I think you would better give it. The funeral would cost you more."

A New Fire-Extinguisher.

A scientist suggests that milk be used to extinguish the flames of burning kerosene, because "milk forms an emulsion with the oil, which makes it accomplish its object more quickly." The best medicine to quickly cure constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, biliousness or flatulency, is Hostetter's stomach remedy, and has a record of over fifty years of cures. Try it also for malaria, fever and ague, and be convinced.

He Snoored in Two Keys.

The night clerk of a leading hotel of Washington, D. C., says that last winter a southern congressman came to him and demanded that his room be changed. When asked what displeased him, he replied, angrily: "Well, that German musician in the next room and I don't get along well. Last night he took away on his cello so that I thought I never would go to sleep. After I had caught a few winks I was awakened by a pounding at my door. 'What's the matter?' I asked. 'If you please,' said the German, 'dot you would schmore of dersame key. You was go from B flat to G, and it spoils der music!'"

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, etc. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Testimony to Fit. "You ought to be able to tell a straight story about the affair," said the lawyer to a witness in an embezzling case. "I don't know about that," replied the witness. "It was a very crooked proceeding."—Detroit Free Press.

WOMEN MUST SLEEP.

Avoid Nervous Prostration.

If you are dangerously sick what is the first duty of your physician? He quiets the nervous system, he deadens the pain, and you sleep well.

Friends ask, "what is the cause?" and the answer comes in pitying tones, nervous prostration. It came upon you so quietly in the beginning, that you were not alarmed, and when sleep deserted you night after night until your eyes fairly burned in the darkness, then you tossed in nervous agony praying for sleep.



Mrs. A. Hartley.

You ought to have known that when you ceased to be regular in your courses, and you grew irritable without cause, that there was serious trouble somewhere.

You ought to know that indigestion, exhaustion, womb displacements, fainting, dizziness, headache, and backache send the nerves wild with affliction, and you cannot sleep.

Mrs. Hartley, of 221 W. Congress St., Chicago, Ill., whose portrait we publish, suffered all these agonies, and was entirely cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; her case should be a warning to others, and her cure carry conviction to the minds of every suffering woman of the unfailing efficacy of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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PURE BLOOD AND STRONG NERVES

With glowing health all things are possible, small annoyances fade into nothingness and real troubles are battled with successfully. Women who are blessed with perfect health are a constant joy to themselves and all around them. The beauty which health alone can make permanent is a crown which raises a woman above other women. Such beauty is always accompanied by a sweet disposition, for snappiness is a sure sign of ill-health and leaves its mark quickly on the features.

It seems to be the fashion for women to ignore health and sacrifice it to the little every-day trials, or offer it up on the altar of devotion to daily tasks. Then again the nervous organization of women is constantly attacked by woman's natural experiences, so that it is practically impossible for her to retain the beauty which nature gave her, unless she has discriminating advice and right support.

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Trials and troubles are easily overcome by the women whose strength is the genuine strength of perfect health. Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, bridges the chasm that separates the sickly woman from happiness. It fills her veins with blood that is pure and clean.

Mrs. WM. E. Bosse, of 85 Farrington St., Flushing, L. I., says:

"In regard to myself, I have suffered for years with disease, having been troubled with great nervousness, female complaints, indigestion, and great weakness and prostration. I did not have strength to do much of anything. Knowing the great value of health and strength I consulted doctors and took many medicines, but they all failed to cure me, and I grew worse rather than better. I happened to see in the papers how much good Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy was doing in restoring to health everybody who took it, and I thought I would try a bottle. I used it and to my surprise I began to gain strength every day. I am so thankful that I tried it! It is certainly the most excellent tonic and strength giver. I recommend it very highly and wish that other people who are troubled in any way would take warning and use it."

TO PRESERVE WOMANLY BEAUTY

At all the stages of a woman's life Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, is shown to be efficient to ward off the results of nervousness, or overwork, or impure blood. From early girlhood to advanced years, this world-renowned medicine builds up the forces destroyed by disease, grief, or overexertion, and the effects of this great medicine are quickly felt and permanently retained. Let women guard well their health, and consult Dr. Greene freely. Nothing they can possibly do will so surely keep them strong and well, or repair the exhaustion from acute illness, nothing will work so continually to the preservation of beauty as the great health-giving Nervura. Dr. Greene's office is at 35 West 14th Street, New York City, where he may be consulted either by personal call or by letter. Women may write in perfect confidence, and get Dr. Greene's advice free.



LIFE SAVING SERVICE.

At the Close of the Fiscal Year
There Were 269 Stations.

Number of Disasters to Documented
Vessels Was 364, and of the
2,655 Persons on Board
But 48 Were Lost.

Washington, Nov. 14.—S. I. Kimball, general superintendent of the Life Saving Service, in his annual report to Secretary Gage says that at the close of the fiscal year the establishment embraced 269 stations, 194 being on the Atlantic, 58 on the lakes, 16 on the Pacific and one at the falls of the Ohio at Louisville, Ky.

The number of disasters to documented vessels within the field of operations of the service during the year was 364. There were on board those vessels 2,655 persons, of whom 2,607 were saved and 48 lost. Six hundred and seventy three shipwrecked persons received succor at the stations, to whom 1,447 days relief in the aggregate were afforded. The estimated value of the vessels involved in disaster was \$6,127,500, and of their cargoes \$3,342,690, making a total value of property imperiled \$9,470,190. Of this amount \$7,234,690 was saved and \$2,235,500 lost.

The number of vessels totally lost was 61. In addition to the foregoing, there were during the year 329 casualties to small craft, such as small yachts, sailboats, rowboats, etc., on board of which were 781 persons, of whom five were lost. The property involved in these instances is estimated at \$267,070, of which \$256,770 was saved and \$10,300 lost.

Besides the number of persons saved from vessels of all kinds, there were 397 others rescued who had fallen from wharves, piers and other positions of extreme peril, many of whom would have perished without the aid of the life-saving crews. Five hundred and fourteen of these were rescued from dwelling houses, out-buildings and other elevated places submerged wholly or in part by the terrible flood of the Brazos river in Texas from July 6 to 12, 1899.

The crews saved and assisted to save during the year 371 vessels, valued with their cargoes, at \$4,006,590, and rendered assistance of minor importance to 655 other vessels in distress, besides warning from danger 194 vessels.

The investigations made into the details of every shipwreck involving loss of life, and into the conduct of the life-saving crews, show that no life was lost through lack of prompt and faithful efforts on the part of the life saving men. More than one-half of those that perished were lost by reason of their unwise attempts to reach the shore in their own boats, instead of remaining on board the wrecks.

The cost of the maintenance of the service during the year was \$1,535,936.

The general superintendent calls attention to the justice and necessity of an increase in the compensation of district superintendents, who, he believes, are the poorest paid servants of the government, considering the nature and extent of their duties and their heavy financial responsibility, and he makes a strong plea in their behalf.

NEW BARGE LINE.

The Whaleback Towboat McDougall and Barges Arrived at New Orleans From St. Louis.

New Orleans, Nov. 14.—The whaleback towboat McDougall and two whaleback barges arrived from St. Louis without a single mishap or delay. The promoters of the new barge line claim they will revolutionize river transportation, especially in grain, and furnish competition to the railroads.

The barges are 372 feet long and are easily handled while the towboat can make 20 miles an hour. The fleet drew seven feet, but fully loaded the boats will draw 12 feet.

McGovern-Broad Contest.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—Kid Broad, of Cleveland, stayed six rounds with Terry McGovern at Tattersall's Tuesday night, and, although McGovern had the fight well in hand at most stages, he never had an opponent who came back at him more stoutly and who gave him as much in the same time as did the little stocky fellow who faced him Tuesday night. Broad fought a wonderful fight, mixing it freely with McGovern at all stages and scoring two clean knockdowns.

A Cattle Trust.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 14.—George B. Loving, of Ft. Worth, Tex., passed through Cleveland Tuesday on his way to New York, where, according to an afternoon paper, he will conclude negotiations for a \$50,000,000 cattle trust, which will absorb 50 Texas ranches. Officials of the leather trust, it is said, will furnish the capital.

To Chart the Philippines.

San Francisco, Nov. 14.—Joseph S. Hill, Henry O. Pixley and Alex. Colt, three students of the University of California, were selected to help Geo. Putnam and F. W. Edmonds, engineers of the coast and geodetic service, to chart the Philippine archipelago.

A Train du Luxe.

Berlin, Nov. 14.—Beginning with December 1, a train du luxe will run twice a week between Berlin and Mentone, by way of Frankfurt-on-the-Main.

JURY EXONORATED HIM.

Ex-Sheriff Richard Adams Shot and Instantly Killed Two Union Miners at Gem, Idaho.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 13.—A Times special from Tacoma, Wash., says: At midnight at Gem, Ida., former Deputy Sheriff Richard Adams shot and instantly killed Daniel Kildee and William Kennedy. Both men were union miners and took prominent parts in the Coeur d'Alene rioters' strike years ago. At that time Adams served warrants on them and incurred their deadly enmity. They swore to kill him, but until recently have been working at Wardner. They arrived at Gem several days ago and have been on the outlook for Adams ever since. He was put on his guard by friends. Late Tuesday night Kildee and Kennedy ran across Adams in a saloon. Kennedy leveled his rifle, but before he could touch the trigger, Adams had sent a bullet through his brain. Without dropping his arm Adams turned his gun on Kildee and shot him through the head before he had time to draw his revolver. Both men were dead when bystanders separated them. Adams was treated as a hero and Wednesday a coroner's jury exonorated him on the grounds of self-defense.

THE CZAR'S ILLNESS.

Attack of Influenza From Which He Suffered Has Developed Symptoms of Typhoid Fever.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 15.—The attack of influenza from which the czar has been suffering has now developed symptoms of typhoid fever. The indisposition of his majesty was first announced November 2 and presented the usual symptoms until Tuesday, when his illness assumed the character of typhoid.

Baron de Frederichs, the master of the imperial household, has issued the following bulletin: "His majesty passed a good night. His general condition is satisfactory. Temperature, 101.6; pulse, 92. His head is clear and the strength of the patient is quite satisfactory. The diagnosis shows typhoid, which for the present is pursuing a thoroughly satisfactory course."

OVER A WOMAN.

Turpentine Men Fight a Duel in Their Camp—Both Were Instantly Killed.

Bartow, Fla., Nov. 15.—John Carter and Oliver Moody, two turpentine men, became involved at their camp near here over a woman to whom both were paying attention. They agreed to fight it out with guns and, having deliberately planned for a duel, fired simultaneously. When the smoke cleared away it was found that the aim of both men had been true and that both had been killed.

Officers were sent for, but there is no evidence that there were any parties to the affair before or during the shooting.

THE "MAXIMILIAN" JEWELS.

They Belong to the Widow of the Late Peter Gay, of the City of Mexico.

Mexico City, Nov. 15.—The widow of the late Peter Gay, the proprietor of several establishments here, is the real owner of the diamonds seized by the United States customs officials in New York. She gave them into the hands of Senor Preza for sale in the United States and claims he never meditated fraud against the American customs regulations. The total value of the jewels is said to be not over \$6,000 (gold) and they never belonged to Emperor Maximilian or Empress Carlotta. The case has excited much interest here.

"JAG CURE" LAW.

Supreme Court of Minnesota Has Declared the Enactment to Be Unconstitutional.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 15.—On the ground that it is unconstitutional, the supreme court has knocked out the "jag cure" law. The law prevailed in counties of over 30,000 population. Indigent inebriates, upon proper petition signed by some friend or relative, may be treated at a private institution, and the expense shall be borne by the county. The consent of the inebriate must also be obtained, and the number which may be treated at public expense in any year was limited to one to each 10,000 of population.

Kentucky Going to Naples.

Algiers, Nov. 15.—The United States battle ship Kentucky, Capt. Colby M. Chester, commanding, left this port Thursday for Naples, where she will await orders.

Must Come Down.

Toledo, O., Nov. 15.—City Solicitor Bralley Wednesday advised the health board officials to tear down all dangerous or obnoxious bill boards in every part of the city.

An Arbitration Convention.

Chicago, Nov. 15.—The national civic federation has issued an announcement calling a national conference in Chicago on December 17 and 18 to consider in all its bearings the principles of conciliation and arbitration.

Torpedo Boat Ashore.

Washington, Nov. 15.—The navy department has received a dispatch from Annapolis saying that the torpedo boat Stockton has gone ashore on Horn Point shoals. The Stockton is one of the new torpedo boats

ALASKA'S POPULATION

Nome District the Most Populous in the Northern Part of Territory.

Most of the Natives Are in the District Lying Between the North of the Yukon and the Kuskokwim Rivers.

Washington, Nov. 15.—The census bureau recently completed the enumeration of the district of Alaska. The schedules have been received at the office and are now in process of tabulation. The director of the census Wednesday gave out the following statement, with reference to the work in the great territory:

Samuel C. Dunham, who had charge of the work in the northern district, returned to Washington a few days ago and submitted his final report. He left Washington on this work on May 4, 1899.

The native and mixed population of the northern district of Alaska is 12,652. The most populous district with respect to the native population is the country lying between the mouth of the Yukon and Kuskokwim rivers and extending back from the coast 100 miles.

Maurice Johnson, the agent for this district, traveled over 2,000 miles with dog teams during the winter, and enumerated 3,013 persons, all of whom were Indians. The Indians in this region are probably the most destitute people in the North American continent. Mr. Johnson reports that from December 1 to March 15 he visited 74 interior villages, and during that time saw but three fires burning in the shacks or dugouts. The poor creatures huddle together in their miserable dwellings during the long winter and subsist on frozen fish and a little seal oil, which they secure on the coast during the summer. The fur-bearing animals, which formerly furnished them with natural clothing, are nearly extinct, and they have been forced to adopt the white man's garb, and, as their poverty prevents them from securing enough to cover their nakedness, there is great suffering from the cold.

The spiritual condition of these neglected natives is no better than the physical, as the missionaries devote their attention to the more attractive fields in the gold regions and along the river, where their good work may be seen.

The Nome district is the most populous in Northern Alaska. The enumeration showed a permanent white population on June 1 of 2,704. During the summer about 18,000 people landed at Nome, about 2,500 of these coming from Dawson. About 12,000 have returned to their homes in the states, leaving about 9,000 people in the region contiguous to Nome. It is probable that the population of the town of Nome during the winter will be between 4,000 and 5,000.

HE BROKE DOWN.

John Porter, Negro, Aged 16, Confessed to the Murder of Little Louise Frost Near Limon, Col.

Denver, Col., Nov. 15.—After withstanding the pressure of the sweatbox at the city jail for four days, John Porter, the 16-year-old Negro who was arrested Sunday, charged with the murder of 11-year-old Louise Frost, near Limon, Col., Wednesday night broke down and confessed every detail of his hideous crime. The little girl was the daughter of a ranchman living four miles from Limon, attended school in town, driving back and forth. On Wednesday last, while on her way home, she was waylaid, assaulted and murdered, her body showing no less than 14 knife wounds.

Solicitude for the Poor.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Sweden's solicitude for her poor is set forth in a communication to the state department from United States Consul General Winslow, at Stockholm. In 1898 through States Consul General Winslow, 241,977 citizens received relief from the poor funds. These latter aggregated 13,500,000 crowns, or \$3,615,000.

Ordered to Galveston.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Capt. Chas. B. Wheeler, of the ordnance department, has been ordered from this city to Galveston, Tex., to examine and report upon the condition of ordnance material at that place, and to estimate the amount of funds necessary to restore to its proper state any property of this kind damaged during the recent big floods there.

Botha's Terms of Surrender.

London, Nov. 15.—Commandant Gen. Botha, according to a dispatch to the Daily Mail from Pretoria, has sent to Lord Roberts a statement of the terms on which he will surrender.

The National Grange Meets.

Washington, Nov. 15.—The 34th annual session of the National Grange, patrons of husbandry, began here Wednesday, with a good attendance and will continue for a week or more.

The Treasury.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Wednesday's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, \$136,459,516; gold, \$94,840,561.

Killed By a Cable Car.

New York, Nov. 15.—Rev. Father John E. Barry, of St. John's Catholic church, Concord, N. H., was struck and instantly killed by a Broadway cable car Wednesday afternoon in front of the Astor house.

A HEAVY FAILURE.

Ex-Mayor Strong's Firm, New York, Is in the Hands of a Receiver—The Liabilities May Reach \$6,000,000.

New York, Nov. 15.—Justice Andrews, in the supreme court, has appointed Edward A. Tregt receiver for the firm of W. L. Strong & Co., of which former Mayor Strong, recently deceased, was the head. His bond was placed at \$250,000. His sureties are Edward A. Treat, August Juillard, John Claffin and Cornelius N. Bliss. The suit is brought to wind up the old firm's business.

It is thought the liabilities may reach \$6,000,000.

Counsel said that the Strong firm had indorsed more than \$500,000 in notes for the Scott woolen mills, for which the firm was agent, and that the odd circumstances of the sudden death of former Mayor Strong and of F. H. Scott, heads of the two concerns, within three days of each other had brought about a crisis by dissolving both firms at a moment when large sums were due.

MADMAN ON A VESSEL.

Armed With a Hatchet, He Defied All the Members of the Crew of a Lake Propeller.

Chicago, Nov. 15.—Armed with a hatchet, John Kerwin, an insane stow-away, defied all the members of the crew of the propeller Tioga to remove him from the vessel Wednesday night and it was not until a police officer managed to crawl through a small window in the side of the vessel and got behind the mad man that he was overpowered and removed from the boat.

Capt. Wulke, of the boat, said that he did not discover Kerwin until after the steamer left Buffalo last Saturday. Kerwin pleaded so hard that he be allowed to remain on the boat that the captain permitted him to do so. Two days ago, however, the man became insane, and since that time the crew had great trouble with him. When they tried to get him to leave the boat upon its arrival here, armed himself with a hatchet and threatened to kill anybody who touched him.

POSTAL ESTIMATES.

Congress Will Be Asked an Aggregate of About \$121,000,000 for the Entire Service.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Postmaster General Emory Smith has framed his estimates to be submitted to congress and will ask an aggregate of about \$121,000,000 as the appropriation for the entire service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1902. This includes an estimate of \$3,500,000 for the rural free delivery service. By the close of this fiscal year 4,300 rural free delivery routes throughout the United States will have been established and the general extension contemplated for next year will involve about 4,500 additional routes. The success of the service so far instituted has resulted in plans for a very general extension next year. The postmaster general, together with other officials, is investigating the feasibility of putting the service in operation at every point throughout the country not reached by the regular free delivery service in operation in the cities.

BELGIAN HARE EXHIBIT.

Bucks Worth as High as \$2,000 and Does as High as \$1,000 Are on Exhibition at Chicago.

Chicago, Nov. 15.—The first annual exhibition of the American Belgian Hare association of North America opened here Wednesday with about 500 entries in the 25 classes. Twenty-nine prizes are offered aside from the distinctions conferred by the judges. Animals from California, Mexico and from Canada are on exhibition and more are arriving. Bucks worth as high as \$2,000 and does as high as \$1,000 are on exhibition. The show lasts throughout the week.

Cotton Mill Operators Strike.

Puebla, Mex., Nov. 15.—Owing to a reduction in wages in the cotton mills 3,000 operatives have struck and the authorities have taken measures to prevent trouble which is threatened. Some of the cotton owners are not sorry to have a reason for closing their mills until they can dispose of their surplus stock. Some mills had already shut down or were running on half time.

Reception for Kruger.

Paris, Nov. 15.—The municipal council has arranged an elaborate reception to President Kruger in the Halle des Fêtes. The building will be especially decorated for the occasion. Snez, Nov. 15.—Mr. Kruger, late president of the Transvaal republic, has arrived here on board the Gelderland. Mr. Kruger remains secluded in his cabin. His health is good.

Dr. Converse Is Dead.

Urbana, O., Nov. 15.—Dr. L. D. Converse, a leading physician of Central Ohio, and widely known in turf circles, died at his home in this city Wednesday of typhoid fever.

Mayor Arrested.

Minira, N. Y., Nov. 15.—Dr. Frank Flood, mayor of Minira, is held in prison under \$10,000 to await the action of the next grand jury, which will meet January 6, 1901, on the charge of forgery in the first degree.

Killed the Whole Family.

Winnipeg, Manitoba, Nov. 15.—John Morrison was placed on trial at Mossburn Wednesday for the murder of five members of the McArthur family. He pleaded guilty and will be sentenced in a day or two.

THE CRUISING VESSELS

Large Expenditures Were Made During the Last Fiscal Year.

The Amount of Coal Being Consumed by the American Navy Is Increasing Year by Year at an Advanced Cost.

Washington, Nov. 15.—The report of Adm. Bradford, chief of the naval bureau of equipment, records unprecedentedly large expenditures by cruising ships during the last fiscal year and the disbursement of large amounts for freight involved in the transportation of stores. Adm. Bradford sets forth the desirability of a naval station at Guam, emphasizing the importance of the island as a naval base. He also recounts rapid improvements in equipment work at Cavite naval station, and the completion of a steel cold storage house at Pago Pago, on the island of Tuituila, Samoa. A new floating dry dock for the naval station at Algiers, La., is to be completed by May, 1901.

The amount of coal being consumed by the navy is increasing year by year, and its cost last year averaged nearly \$2 a ton more than during the fiscal year of 1898. Adm. Bradford again renews his recommendations for new naval coal depots. The bureau recommends the installation of the Marconi system of wireless telegraphy on board of several ships of the navy, provided it can be done at a reasonable cost. Experiments in this system of signaling have proven successful in the main in the trials made by ships of the North Atlantic squadron, although quite a serious defect has been discovered. In the event that two vessels using the system should attempt to signal a single port or vessel simultaneously, the receiving station or ship is found to be unable to distinguish between the messages sent to it.

The report says that the survey by the United States steamer Nero for a trans-Pacific submarine telegraph cable between Honolulu and the Philippine islands was most successfully accomplished and that a satisfactory route for an all-American cable to connect the Pacific coast with the outlying colonial possessions of the United States in the Pacific and with China and Japan has been discovered, thoroughly explored, surveyed and mapped. The bureau is now ready to lay the cable at any time.

The attention of the department is called to the necessity for a survey of the Western Pacific ocean. Many reported "danger spots" appear on the charts whose absolute danger is doubtful, thus giving rise to a great deal of uneasiness among navigators.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

Earle Knowles Attempted to Kill His Uncle Before Firing a Shot Into His Own Brain.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 15.—Earle Knowles, 17 years of age, made a desperate attempt Wednesday night to kill Wm. A. Wood, his uncle, at the latter's residence, and then inflicted a fatal wound upon himself. After firing five shots at his uncle, Knowles shot himself through the left breast, the bullet narrowly escaping the heart. Mr. Wood will recover, while Knowles is lying at the Mercy hospital with a bullet still lodged in his chest, and he is dying.

The cause of the attempted murder and suicide is a mystery, as Mr. Wood refuses to discuss the affair. He told the police authorities that he supposed his nephew was demented.

UNCONSTITUTIONAL.

A District Judge Knocks Out the Act Making Regulations for Protection of Forest Reserves.

Fresno, Cal., Nov. 15.—According to a decision Wednesday by United States District Judge Wellborn in the case of Lee Blasingame it is held that the act of June 30, 1898, authorizing the secretary of the interior to make regulations for the protection of forest reserve is unconstitutional because, in effect, it delegates by congress legislative power to an administrative officer. The decision, it is claimed, practically throws open to the sheep men all the reservations, though they are still liable in civil suits for damages for trespassing. United States Attorney Flint will appeal.

Miss Barton Leaves Galveston.

Galveston, Tex., Nov. 15.—Miss Clara Barton left for her home in Washington Wednesday, accompanied by her associates in the National Red Cross, who have been assisting her in the Galveston relief work.

Many Immigrants Arriving.

New York, Nov. 15.—According to Commissioner of Immigration Fitchie, immigrants have arrived in this country at the rate of 1,000 a day from all countries since July last.

Robbed an Aged Couple.

Dayton, O., Nov. 15.—Masked men battered in the door to the residence of Joseph Butz, near Miamisburg, and, at the muzzle of a revolver, bound the aged couple. The house was searched and \$600 stolen, the entire savings of the couple.

Population of Georgia.

Washington, Nov. 15.—The population of the state of Georgia, as announced Wednesday by the census bureau, is 2,216,331, as against 1,877,353 in 1890. This is an increase of 378,978, or 20.6 per cent.

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EAST BOUND.				
	No. 1. Pass.	No. 3. Pass.	No. 5. Mixed.	
Lve Frankfort a . . .	7:00am	8:40pm	1:00pm	
Lve Elkhorn . . .	7:11am	8:52pm	1:20pm	
Lve Switzer . . .	7:11am	8:52pm	1:20pm	
Lve Stamping Grad . . .	7:24am	9:05pm	1:50pm	
Lve Duvalia . . .	7:34am	9:15pm	2:00pm	
Lve Johnson . . .	7:34am	9:15pm	2:00pm	
Lve Georgetown . . .	7:44am	9:25pm	2:10pm	
Lve C & R Depot b . . .	7:54am	9:35pm	2:20pm	
Lve Newtown . . .	8:17am	9:58pm	2:45pm	
Lve Centerville . . .	8:27am	10:08pm	2:55pm	
Lve Elizabeth . . .	8:30am	10:10pm	3:00pm	
Arr Frankfort a . . .	8:40am	5:00pm		

WEST BOUND.				
	No. 2. Pass.	No. 4. Pass.	No. 6. Mixed.	
Lve Paris c . . .	9:04am	5:40pm		
Lve Elizabeth . . .	9:14am	5:50pm		
Lve Centerville . . .	9:24am	6:00pm		
Lve Newtown . . .	9:34am	6:10pm		
Lve C & R Depot b . . .	9:44am	6:20pm		
Lve Georgetown . . .	9:54am	6:30pm		
Lve Johnson . . .	10:04am	6:40pm		
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KENTUCKY CENTRAL POINTS

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8:40	7:50	Lv. . . .	Frankfort . . .	Ar	11:20	7:10
4:2	7:50	Lv. . . .	Georgetown . .	Ar	10:28	6:17
5:10	8:40	Ar	Paris	Lv	9:30	5:40
8:30		Ar	Mayville . . .	Lv	5:45	1:25
6:16	11:42	Ar	Winchester . .	Lv	7:09	2:55
7:20	1:00	Ar	Richmond . . .	Lv	6:20	2:00

THE BOURBON NEWS.

(Twentieth Year—Established 1881.)

PUBLISHED EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.

WALTER CHAMP, } Editors and Owners.
SWIFT CHAMP, }

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

JAILER.

We are authorized to announce Wm. C. Donson as a candidate for Jailer of Bourbon County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Geo. W. Judy as a candidate for Jailer of Bourbon County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce W. H. Boone as a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Wm. B. Nickels as a candidate for Jailer of Bourbon County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce SAM'L T. JAMES as a candidate for Jailer of Bourbon County, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Frank Duvall, of Riddles Mills, will be my deputy.

ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce W. B. Pinkard as a candidate for Assessor of Bourbon County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce HARVEY HIBLER, of Paris, as a candidate for Assessor of Bourbon County, with HENRY L. CAYWOOD, of North Middletown, as deputy, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce CHAS. PADDICORD as a candidate for the office of Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic party. If elected, my deputy will be W. G. McClintock.

The State Board will meet to canvass returns December 3, and Governor Beckham will be inaugurated on the 11th.

By the reapportionment of members of the House of Representatives under the new census there will be an increase of eighteen members. On the same basis Kansas, Nebraska, Maine and Virginia will lose one member each.

On Monday, November 19, the Democratic voters in each of the precincts in the State, except in cities of the first and second class, will hold mass meetings and elect their precinct committeemen. This will be done in accordance with a resolution adopted by the State Convention in Louisville on June 14.

Gov. BECKHAM will be inaugurated December 11. It is said one of the first official papers Governor-elect Durbin, of Indiana will have to consider when he takes office will be a requisition from Gov. Beckham for the return of former Gov. Taylor and ex-Secretary of State Finley to this State for trial. Leading Republicans claim to have assurances from Indiana Republican leaders that Col. Durbin will follow the precedent set by Gov. Mount in these cases and will refuse to honor the requisition.

MATTERS MATRIMONIAL.

The Wedding Bells, Announcements, Cupid's Mischief.

Eaton-Ashurst.

The marriage ceremony of Mr. Ecton, of Winchester, and Miss Georgia Mae Ashurst, was performed at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ashurst, near this city, Wednesday afternoon at half after two o'clock. The room where the ceremony was performed was, beautiful in white chrysanthemums and smilax. Mr. and Mrs. Ecton left immediately for Winchester where a reception was given them at the home of the groom's parents. Those who attended the wedding from a distance were Mr. Charles Nichols and Miss Nichols, (Lexington,) Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ecton, Robert Ecton, Taylor Ecton, Philip Hoigkin, Misses Taylor and Scott, (Winchester,) Mrs. Coleman Gentry and Miss Ashurst, of Lexington.

The marriage of Miss Julia McMeekin, of Georgetown, and Mr. Henry C. Markham, of Kosse, Texas, will be celebrated at the Christian church in Georgetown, Thursday morning, December 6th, at 9:30 o'clock. Miss McMeekin has visited in Bourbon and is well known here.

Miss Clara Moore, of Georgetown and Mr. Joseph P. Giltner, of this county, will be married at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Harvey Moore, in Georgetown tomorrow, at 3 o'clock. The marriage will be a very quiet one, only the relatives being present.

Handsomely engraved invitations have been sent out announcing the marriage at the Danville Christian Church of Miss Mayne Wilson Carpenter to Mr. Robert L. Salter, Jr., on Wednesday evening, Nov. 28. The contracting parties have a large circle of friends in Bourbon.

Mr. Emery Tucker and Miss Lizzie Neal were married at Maysville on Wednesday.

Victor Emanuel, the new King of Italy, has pardoned 4,000 prisoners and reduced the time of 45,000 others.

THE FARM AND TURF.

News for the Farmer, Trader and Stock Raiser.

Fletcher Mann is in the West purchasing mules.

B. W. Lee of Danville bought a load of cotton mules at \$85.

Corn is selling at \$2 per barrel delivered and hay for \$12 per ton.

J. V. Stamp of Harrison sold thirty-one 1400 cattle to W. A. Kendall at 5c.

Jas. Thompson has bought 60 fee ders from Col. R. T. Ford at 4 1/4.

W. H. Renick shipped a car load of heifers to Ohio parties this week.

Wm. Hume, sold bunch of 900 pound feeders this week in Lexington at 4c.

John Smith, of Cynthiana, purchased a car of mules at Moreland last Wednesday.

A tax on sale of stocks in Wall street last week netted Uncle Sam \$125,000.

Potts & Grimes, of Nicholas, sold to McIntyre & McClintock this week 25 yearlings at \$25 per head.

Carruthers & Beard, of Lexington, bought 22 cotton mules at Danville at \$75 to \$125 and one car at Shelbyville at about the same price.

John Morris of this county raised 2,500 bushels of Irish potatoes on ten acres of land selling them at 45c delivered. He sold the seconds at 25c per bushel at home. The third grade was boiled and fed to his hogs.

The National Salt Company yesterday put up the price of common table salt of a fair quality to \$1.50 per 100 pounds. The price before was \$1.10 per 100 pounds for the same grade. The National Salt Company controls directly 95 per cent of the salt output of the country, and is able indirectly to dominate the remaining 5 per cent of the production.

SHEEP FOR SALE.

Two hundred and seventy-five good ewes. Nearly all black faces.
BISHOP HIBLER & BRO.

Price's Pure Pork Sausage

We are again handling PRICE'S LEXINGTON SAUSAGE.

This is absolutely pure PORK Sausage. No beef in it.

If you buy it, you will find it the best you ever ate.

James Fee & Son.

Grocers.

OYSTER? HUNGRY?

If you want the best Oysters on the Paris Market, call on us.

Of course, we have everything that goes along with Oysters that help to make up a Kentucky dinner.

Everything you'd expect to find in a grocery, we have—fresh stock. Rush orders are filled promptly.

SALOSHIN & CO.



It's just like finding money if you get a pair of our "BOURBON BELLE" \$3 SHOES for women, or a pair of WALK-OVER SHOES for men. Solid comfort and good wear in every pair.

Clay's Shoe Store,

Cor. Fourth and Main Sts., Paris, Ky.

I Sell All the Best grades of
COAL
Known to this Market.

THE
Laurel
Kentucky,
COALS,
Bird-Eye, Anthracite,
AND
COKE.

THE
PROCTOR
JELICG
COAL!

Give me a
CALL.

R. J. NEELY.
Be sure to See NEELY before buy.

Don't Forget

WE SELL THE
CELEBRATED

Radiant Home

STOVE.

Winn & Lowry.

A Card to the LADIES.....

The holidays are fast approaching when new novelties and appetizing delicacies are sought after with much care, that you may have sumptuous dinners and luncheons, and we respectfully ask you to call and give us opportunity to show you some of our newest imported and domestic table luxuries. We carry the most replete assortment of fancy canned goods, candies, fruits and crackers to be found in this city, and during the coming holidays we expect to have the finest stock of good things ever shown in this city.

Butter Scotch Syrup has no equal—once tried always used.

Our Celery is the best in the city. Always fresh and crisp.

PRATHER'S.

431 MAIN ST. - - PARIS, KY.

Election Notice!

We have elected a man who makes it his special work to take measures for

SUITS, OVERCOATS,

&c. He will be at our store on **Monday, Oct. 29th.** He brings with him over 400 styles of Foreign and Domestic Woolens. Latest patterns and designs. We have in stock a splendid line of Ready-to-Wear goods of every kind as low as the lowest. We invite your inspection of our stock.

W. T. TALBOTT & CO.



Introducing Fall Shoes.

We've had Summer enough, and we should not complain if the prediction of the weather man prove correct. "Rain Followed by Cold Weather." Now is the time to prepare for this change—and our store is filled with the newest creations in Fall Shoes. Such Shoes you never saw as to beauty, fit and comfort. Every pair fully guaranteed, and yet we sell them cheap. Call on us; call quickly; the quicker the better. You'll be glad you came; so will we.

....Davis, Thomson & Isgrig....



I HAVE
IN VIEW

The Finest Line of
**WHITE ENAMELED
AND
BRASS BEDS**

Ever carried in Paris. You may get a no account article a little cheaper, but not so good.

You come here and you get the best for the least money.

Undertaking in all its branches. I can furnish you at any time Embalming scientifically attended to. Carriages for hire. an experienced man for mantel work.
Furniture repaired. Household goods moved. WOOD MANTELS and TILINGS always on hand. THE HANDSOMEST LINE OF LAMPS in Central Kentucky.

TELEPHONE NO. 36. NIGHT PHONE 22 OR 56.

J. T. HINTON.

I have also just added the handsomest AMBULANCE in the State to my already large stock of vehicles and it is ready to answer your calls at any time.

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TELEPHONE NO. 124.
SUBSCRIPTION PRICES.
[Payable in Advance.]
One year.....\$2.00 [Six months.....\$1.00]
Make all Checks, Money Orders, Etc., payable to the order of CHAMP & BRO.

All Clothing bought of Price & Co., kept in repair free of cost for one year.

It is now lawful to kill partridges.

Circuit Court convenes on next Monday week.

HENRY HIBLER leaves this morning for a trip in Pendleton county.

CORN WANTED.—Highest market price paid.
E. F. SPEARS & SONS.

The real estate assessment of Lexington foots up seventeen millions of dollars.

TOM CRAWFORD will open a barber shop on Fourth street, in the old post-office stand.

HAVE your lard cans filled at Laughlin Bros. with new, fresh lard, at lowest cash price.

Marcus Daily's forty millions goes to his widow in trust for the benefit of his four children.

INSURE your tobacco, all farm property with T. Porter Smith. Rates as low as the lowest.

The present center of population in the United States is seven miles North of Columbus, Indiana.

A FRANKFORT dispatch says Judge James E. Cantrill will be a candidate to succeed Senator Deboe.

GUY OVERBY, who has been clerking for J. F. Prather, has gone to Birmingham, Ala., to accept a position.

THOS. RICHARDSON fell into a well, dislocating his knee, which will confine him to the house for some time.

MRS. MARY C. WEBB and sons have moved to the Duncan heirs' house, recently vacated by Drs. Bowen & Fithian.

FOR SALE—A combination folding bed. Good as new. Cost \$85. Will sell cheap. Enquire at THE NEWS office.

NOTICE.—All Masons are requested to be present at their lodge room tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Work in third degree.

McBrayer Moore, of Lawrenceburg, purchased of Mrs. Anne D. Moore and sons 526 acres of land near Danville for \$51,000.

The ladies of the Christian Church will have their regular annual sale of cakes, salads and other eatables for Thanksgiving.

THE Jennima Johnson Chapter, D. A. R., will meet with Mrs. W. E. Board, on Second street, on Thursday, the 22d, at three o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, while hunting, Capt. Loungre, of Lexington, missed a rabbit and killed a fine Jersey cow for Hon. Sol Vanmeter.

HENRY GROSCHKE who has been at St. Joseph's Hospital being treated for stomach trouble for the past month is able to be at home.

SHOES that please in style, fit and price, are what the purchaser wants. All these guaranteed at Davis, Thompson & Isgrig.

JOHN M. WHITE has on his farm, near Paris, a Narragansett turkey hen with a topped-knot, which he will send to the poultry show at Louisville.

A BRIGHAM HARE ASSOCIATION has been formed at Lexington. "Sheep" Powling, of Carlisle, is trying to form a Blue Lick Hills Rabbit Trust.

TUESDAY night while scaling the wall in an attempt to escape, the prisoners in Carlisle jail were detected by Jailer Hughes and confined to their cells.

THE State Board of Assessment and Valuation has increased the valuation on whiskey from \$7 to \$10 per barrel. This will add considerable money to the city treasury within the next five years.

THE ladies of the Episcopal Church will give a social to-night at the store room recently vacated by the Paris Cash-Shoe Store. There will be plenty of things to eat and a good musical program. Admission, 25 cents.

CARL CRAWFORD's barber shop is easily the best and most convenient place in Paris to get a shave, bath, haircut or shine. Three expert barbers furnish a quick and satisfactory service. Good bath service attached.

SEND THE BOURBON NEWS to your absent friends. It gives them all the news twice a week and is better than a letter from home. To a person away from home not much is more acceptable than the home paper. Now is the time to subscribe.

Triennial Conclave K. T.

A bevy of Kentucky's most beautiful young women, twenty-seven in all, will represent the Grand Commandery, the State at large and the twenty-five subordinate commanderies of the Knights Templar at the twenty-eighth Triennial Conclave in Louisville, August 27-30, next. This will prove an innovation in the history of the grand encampments of this great order. The sponsors will be the recipients of many social honors while in Louisville and will play a particularly important part in connection with the competitive drill which is to be given for the first time since 1883 at San Francisco. Each commandery is to select its sponsor by ballot. Some of the selections have already been made. Among those yet to vote for a fair representative are the following commanderies: Cynthiana, No. 16, Ryan, No. 17, Danville, No. 21, J. C. Breckinridge, No. 20, Flemingsburg, Bowling Green, Coeur de Lion, No. 26, Paris, and Marion, No. 24, Lebanon.

Late Dispatches.

Last evening's papers say Pearl Bryan's skull has been found near where the murder was committed.

Extra session of the Legislature will be called for January.

Yerkes will be reappointed Collector.

Struck Oil.

While prospecting for ore on the farm of Hon. C. M. Clay, yesterday morning, about a ton of the richest lead ore ever found in this section was taken out from a depth of five feet from the surface. A small vein of oil broke through the opening and it is believed will be found in paying quantities. Specimens of the ore can be seen at the office of the Central Trust Co.

Teachers To Be Paid.

Auditor Coulter paid out checks aggregating \$427,000 which goes to the school teachers of the State; \$255,000 of this is the second installment to country teachers this year. \$93,000 goes to the school fund of cities and towns and \$98,000 on the deficit of the school fund in cities for last year. This pays off all of the school fund indebtedness to date.

To The Farmers.

H. MARGOLIN, the butcher, is prepared to butcher your hogs and render your lard for you in a prompt and satisfactory manner. He guarantees good returns from his butchering and rendering. Let him do the job and take the trouble off your hands.

Farms Sold.

Bishop Hibler & Bro. have purchased of John B. Mitchell his farm of 165 acres, near Shakespear, at \$66 per acre. John C. Leer of Millersburg, sold to Ashby Leer his one-half interest in 98½ acres for \$3,250.

We Want At Once.

A reliable man to look after our interests in Bourbon and the adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Special inducements to offer to the right party. LINCOLN OIL CO. Cleveland, O.

In Police Court.

IN Judge Webb's court yesterday "Cap" Tillman, a notorious character of Claysville, was fined ten dollars and costs for using abusive language.

Who'll Get It?

Game Warden Thomas E. Clay offers a handsome silver cup, gold-lined, to the person furnishing the largest number of hawk scalps by January first. Open to Bourbon county.

Corn Wanted

HIGHEST market price paid for corn.
(Nov 16m) PARIS MILLING CO.

"Hello, Bill!"

Those who failed to attend the performance of "Hello, Bill," at the Grand Wednesday night, missed one of the best attractions of the season. "Hello, Bill," is a straight comedy, of which it can truthfully be said, "it was built for laughing purposes, only." Free from everything in the nature of "specialties," of which the amusement-loving people have been too much infected of late, it is a clean, wholesome play, which makes a person feel better for having seen it. Mr. Blakemore, as "Mr. William Fuller," made a big hit. He has the proper conception of the part, and what was most desired, did not overact it. Mr. Macomber, as "General Wm. Fuller," has a splendid voice and appearance, and made an ideal general. He is also a very pleasant gentleman off the stage. Mr. Foye, as "Mr. Christopher Cutting," who "fixed things," has the right conception of his part, but would make a better hit if he would put a little more spirit into his dialogue. A man about town, a jolly good fellow, a sort of "Johnnie on the Spot," should show it in the manner of his conversation and tone of voice as well as in the words he speaks. The female character of the piece were in good hands, and the part of "Isabella," by Miss Humphrey, is deserving of special mention.

THE MOVING THROG.

Notes About Our Guests, Arrivals and Departures—Society's Doings.

—E. J. McKinney is down with rheumatism.

—Miss Kate Jameson is visiting in Cynthiana.

—Miss Emma Scott is visiting in Louisville.

—Clark Barnett and wife are on a visit in Indiana.

—Mrs. L. Frank left yesterday for a visit in Louisville.

—Mrs. Rachel Ashbrook returned yesterday from Arizona.

—Mrs. Harry Simon left Wednesday for a visit in Cincinnati.

—Mrs. Ruth Lockwood has returned from a visit in Versailles.

—Chas. Barnett and Bob Adair are in Mason County hunting quail.

—Mrs. Allie Terry, of Carlisle, will move to Paris this next week.

—Mrs. Thos. E. Moore Jr., has returned from a visit at Ford.

—Mrs. John Dean and daughters are visiting relatives in Lexington.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lunceford Talbot were in Lexington Wednesday.

—Mrs. Rudolph Davis left yesterday for a visit to relatives in Carlisle.

—Mrs. Jere Turner and Mrs. Lynn Smith are visiting in Fleming Co.

—Mrs. Hiram Carpenter has returned after a visit to relatives in Mason.

—Misses Celeste and Katie Lucas have returned from a visit to Cynthiana.

—J. T. McMillan was able to be at his office yesterday after a week's illness.

—Mrs. Mollie Roche and Mrs. A. J. Fee were visiting in Lexington, Wednesday.

—Mrs. R. G. Stoner and her guest, Mrs. Slocum, were in Lexington, Wednesday.

—Davie R. Leer and sister, Miss Lillie, attended the Shropshire-Weathers wedding.

—Mr. E. T. Shipp is here for a few days. He is just in from a business trip to New Orleans.

—Mrs. George Wright has returned from a visit to her niece, Mrs. Gay, of Woodford County.

—Miss Josie Shawhan returned to Cynthiana yesterday after a visit to Miss Maude Stout.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. Parish, and son Bosley, of Birmingham, are in the city on a visit to relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. James E. Clay, Misses Nannie Clay and Kate Alexander left Wednesday for New York.

—Rev. Luther Mann and wife, of Morehead, are visiting former's brother, Fletcher Mann, in East Paris.

—Mrs. Mary Stivers, and Misses Lillie and Lillie Stivers are with Mrs. J. M. Wood, of Winchester, who is seriously ill.

—Mr. F. M. Henkle, of Little Rock, has removed to Stanford to make his home with his nephew Rev. Wm. E. Arnold.

—Mrs. Will Price, of Denver, Col., is visiting her sisters, Mrs. John Stuart, Mrs. T. H. Clay and Misses Lou and Minnie Williams.

—The young men of the new euchre club will entertain the young ladies of that club with a box party at the Runaway Girl performance Saturday night.

—The Campbell family are coming! Hurrah! Hurrah!

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The Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Company has acquired the telephone plant in Lebanon Ky., and also the exchange at Stanford and Nicholasville, owned by J. A. Kelly and B. T. Conway. The price paid for the three plants was \$25,000. The deal is the result of the fight made against the local company by the City Council a few weeks ago, when it forced them to reduce their rates one-half.

MAYOR PERRY and family are moving to the Cheshire property on High street.

It is reported that there is three cases of diphtheria on Winchester street.

Grand Opera House!

L. H. RAMSEY, Lessee and Manager.
E. S. PORTER, Resident Manager.

FOUR NIGHTS, COMMENCING.....

MONDAY, Nov. 19

Special return engagement of the favorites, the

KEYSTONE DRAMATIC COMPANY.

Supporting Lawrence B. McGill and Miss Gertrude Shipman.

Monday night, the greatest play of the Century,

'A SOLDIER OF THE EMPIRE.'

Car-load of Special Scenery. New Plays, New Specialities.

22—PEOPLE—22

Prices—10, 20 and 30

Special Ladies' and Childrens' Matinee Wednesday afternoon. Curtain rises at 2:30. Prices, 10 and 20 cents.

Monday night ladies accompanied by a paid 30 cent ticket will be admitted free. Tickets must be reserved at Brooks' Drug Store before 6 p. m. Monday.

ONE NIGHT ONLY, FRIDAY, NOV. 23

The Campbells are Comin', Hurrah! Hurrah!

OFFICIAL CONCERT TOUR

"THE KILTIES"

18th HIGHLANDERS, TORONTO.

Canada's

Crack

Military

Band.

Peerless

Musical

Organization

Under the Leadership of

Mr. John Slatter.

Appearing in full Kilted Regiments

By authority of the Dominion Government and by kind special permission of Col. Macdonald and officers commanding the 48th Highlanders' Regiment.

The full Band of the Regiment; also Bagpipe Major Beaton and Pipe-Sergeant Johnson, Champion Piper and Dancer of the continent.

PRICES:

Dress Circle.....\$1.00

Parquet.....75

Balcony.....50

Gallery.....25

CLOTHING - CLEANED

THOMAS BROS.,

OPPOSITE HOTEL WINDSOR,

Are prepared to promptly dye, clean, press and repair clothing in a satisfactory manner at reasonable prices. They ask your patronage.

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PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

Pretty Suburban

HOME.

One of the prettiest and most complete suburban homes in Paris. Having made arrangements to go West, I will, on

November 24, 1900,

at the Court House door in Paris, at 11:30 a. m., sell to the highest bidder my residence in East Paris. The house contains eight rooms, hall and pantry, and extra good cellar. The place contains about eighteen acres of land with good orchard. Two good cisterns and waterworks. A good stable and cabin, hen house and all other necessary out-buildings.

Will also sell at the same time and place my two-story brick business house on corner of Tenth and Main streets. All are invited to call and see the places before day of sale.

O. F. DILLAKE, Paris, Ky.

A. T. FORSYTH, Auctioneer.

G. Tucker.

LARGEST DRY GOODS STORE IN THE CITY.

HEADQUARTERS FOR—

Fur Collar-stoppers, Muffs, Neck Pieces, &c., Ladies' Misses' and Children's Cloaks.

DRESS GOODS—We have reduced four-

teen pieces of Zibelines to 50 Cents per Yard former prices 65c and 75c. These goods are of this Fall's purchase. Come early and secure first choice.

HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR—Stock now complete for Men, Women and Children. Better come early before sizes are broken.

OUTING CLOTH NIGHT GARMENTS—Made just like you make them at home.

Just received a new line of Ladies' Eiderdown Dressing Sacques.

See the straight-front J. E. CORSET. It is beauty.

G. TUCKER.

OUR

Clothing

Meets Your

Wants In

Style, Quality

and Price.

PARLER & JAMES,

FOURTH & MAIN STS., - - PARIS, KY.

If you cannot read this small print at a distance of 14 inches your eyesight is failing and should have immediate attention:

Imperial spectacles and eyeglasses have perfect eyes, always perfectly centered and made of purest material, set in frames of the highest elasticity and "on account of greatest durability, united with the utmost lightness and perfect adjustment, they are the most perfect of all eyeglasses. They are scientifically fitted to the eye, and give complete satisfaction for they are perfect. They are the only eyeglasses that do not hurt the eyes, and they are better off without any glasses than with either of these defects. Buy Imperial spectacles of a reliable, skillful dealer, and they will last longer without change and be cheapest in the end.

We have engaged the services of Dr. C. H. Bowen who will visit our store on the second and last Thursdays of each month and invite all to call and have their eyes examined, for which there is no charge. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

Next visit—Thursday, Nov. 22, 1900. Hello, 170.

469 Paris Wives

At least, have had trouble in keeping a cook during the Summer. Much of their worry could have been avoided, however, if they had called on—or called DOW & SPEARS. We have lots of ready-prepared foods, and many things needing little preparation. Everything in stock is fresh—if we haven't what you call for, it only takes a moment to get it. Call us up.

DOW & SPEARS

Autumn

WITH HER GOLDEN LINES AND ROYAL GREETINGS IS HERE.

But we have taken the hint from her advance agent and procured a large stock of Fall Clothing to be sold at popular prices. Best top coats, latest patterns, silk lined, can be had from \$10 to \$20.

THE SUITS ARE

Good quality at \$10, \$12.50 and \$15. Boy's and Children's Suits, just the thing for school, \$2.50 to \$5.

PRICE & CO.

CLOTHIERS.

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CHAMP, CHAMP.

THE CHORUS OF THE SEA.

I hear unnumbered voices in the chorus of the waves,
Among them spirit echoes as from sailors' hidden graves,
A multitude of murmurs, that in differing degree
Combine to make the matchless music
Chanted by the sea;
O'er beach and land in measures grand these limpid songs are sung,
As though each flashing jeweled drop had found a jeweled tongue.

Here unto Nature's devotees with understanding ear,
Each murmur speaks its message sweet, harmoniously clear;
Wise heads and hearts are tuned to catch the subtle soul of sound
When waves reveal in language large God's mysteries profound;
They speak the secrets of the sea, concealed through ages past,
And reach prophetic arms toward the future veiled and vast.

What are the oratorios and symphonies of man
Compared to those devised upon God's wildest, wisest plan,
Interpreting the thought of God enshrined in sweetest song,
Which ranges from the light bird-note to thunder deep and strong?
Waves rear and cheer in charging lines, launch, clamor and rejoice,
And every breaker silver-fringed hath here a silver voice.

The lights and shadows come and fade like ghosts of long ago,
And with them lights and shades of sound in raptureebb and flow.
Like volleys of the tints and strangely glorious gleams,
Until they mingle into one like music heard in dreams;
While every note its message hath for souls attuned to hear,
The whitest and the faintest truth God whispers low and clear.

Wouldst hear the beat of Nature's heart, then hear the throbbing sea,
And learn the message sheathed in song God utters for thee,
A thousand voices loud or low, each beautiful alone,
Completer, sweeter when combined in matchless tone and tone;
A thousand hands along the sands play when God's baton sways,
And in one hallelujah chorus thrill the world with praise.

L. EDGAR JONES.

THE MAN WITH THE STRIPED SHIRT

"YOU seem unhappy this morning," remarked the silent partner to his associate after the photographer had left the room in tears to receive the condolences of the temporarily discharged office boy. "And yet," he continued, "there is no yellow tinge to your skin, and your eyes are bright and your hand steady. No one would believe that you were suffering from an active fit of remorse and had determined to take it out on all the dependent humanity that crossed your bilious path, to look at you. Why don't you go across the way to the drug store and take something for it?"

"It's not that," said the disgruntled man, passing his hand wearily across his forehead. "It's my shirt."

"Then I have no sympathy to offer. A man of your ordinary intelligence ought to know enough to take a pen-knife and make a new buttonhole in the neckband and make a new buttonhole in the neckband is too large for your collar, and if it is simply a case of fray you can easily dampen it and take the starch out of it. There's no excuse for you coming up here and raising Ned over a trifle like that."

"If you had an instantaneous bleaching process to suggest you might help me," observed the other. "As it is I'm conscious that I've got on a thing with purple stripes and I'd be willing to exchange it for one of haircloth. It wouldn't have nearly the irritating effect on me. I wasn't born to the purple—I had it thrust upon me. The clerk said it was the latest thing this season and neat in its effect, and it didn't look so bad when he showed it to me. But I got under its influence five minutes after I had put it on, and half killed an innocent kitten that came and confidently wiped its little pink nose on my trousers. That's the trouble with me—the inability to size up a garment before it has actually passed into my possession, and my cowardly and parsimonious aversion to throwing it away when it tortures me to look at it. It's had enough with anything, but with shirts it is simply maddening. Shirts have always been the bane of my life."

"In what respect?" asked the silent partner.

"In every respect. I have to buy them ready-made because a man has to take off his coat and waistcoat and put them on again afterward to get measured, and my doctor tells me to avoid all unnecessary exertion on account of my heart, so to a certain extent I have to take chances on the fit. That's a good suggestion of yours about the buttonholes, however. Well, then, there's the pattern and color. It isn't once in three times that I get anything that on sober second thought satisfies me. Then, as I say, I haven't the sand to throw anything away. I say to myself that I'll save it for an emergency, and I find that the emergency happens about twice a week. If I get on a shirt that suits me I'm as happy as a king and my heart sings within me, but the wrong color throws me off just as you see this morning. Doesn't it ever affect you that way?"

"Never."

"Well, I suppose mine is a peculiar case. I wish I could find some remedy for it. It's no use for me to cover the horror up with a necktie and put on a pair of white knifs: the world may be deceived, but I know that it's there."

"Then why don't you stick to plain white shirts?"

"I haven't help me! I cannot," sighs the silent partner. "I have contracted the colored appetite and it's too

late. I can wear a white shirt just as I can drink a glass of milk. I know that if I were in a normal condition I would be happy and contented to wear them, but as it is I have a perpetual craving for the stimulus of something pink or blue, with bars or figures or stripes on it. Although I know that it will hurt me, lower my moral tone and render me unfit for decent society, I will even take a shirt with red and black horseshoes on it or mix with my fellow-man spotted with yellow polka dots rather than don the pure, innocent white of happier days.

"I remember so well my first shirts—I mean the first that were built after the pattern of the adult garment. I only wore them on Sundays, of course, but it used to be well into the middle of the week before I recovered from my misery. It was bad enough to be 'got ready' to have myself ignominiously bathed by my mother, who was the most reckless woman with soap I ever saw, and who consistently put most of it into my eyes; and there was the further ordeal of having my hair and the upper part of my face brushed with a stiff, bristly brush; but these tortures were insignificant when compared with the agonies that the shirt caused me to suffer. The shirt of Nessus was a fool to it. My shirt was made by a woman who had raised seven boys of her own and was considered an authority. She was an economical woman, and didn't believe in wasting any unnecessary muslin, so that there was never enough tail to it to make it balance properly, and it fit around the neck like a Turkish bowstring in the moment of the sultan's wrath. It was done up at home, of course, and mother was as prodigal of starch as she was of soap, so that it stuck together like a porous plaster to its cover, from stem to stern, and the neckband was a quarter of an inch thick. The hired girl generally tore it apart and helped me on with it. She had long finger nails, and in buttoning the collar she invariably got hold of a fold of my skin and tried to push it through the buttonhole.

"Then they sent me out to Sunday school, choking and sore, and expected me to get benefited by it. I can remember how I had to sit there without being able to move my head independently of the rest of me for fear of cutting into the jugular vein and messing the cocoa matting, and how I hated to give up my penny for the heathen. It wasn't that I grudged the money, for I was always a free-hearted boy, but I thought of what I might be helping to bring the heathen to. I pictured him, care-free and happy, in an unstarched breech cloth and with no lesson leaflet

in his hand, and I thought of the world with praise.

HALF KILLED AN INNOCENT KITTEN.



to study in the afternoon, and I longed to be in his benighted condition, much as I loved my dear teacher.

"I know that my perhaps morbid sensitiveness in regard to shirts was occasioned in the first place by the shirt of my youth. I own that my condition is morbid. I have got so that I size up a man, to a great extent, by the shirt that he wears, even with the knowledge that I myself am occasionally open to criticism of the hardest kind."

"I can stand for anything but a man sticking a superfluous diamond stud in the bosom of his negligee," said the silent partner.

"I don't believe there are such people," said the other man. "I like to think well of my kind."

"Naturally, but there are mighty few of your kind around. But I guess you've made a mistake about my shirt. There's no purple about it, and no stripes. I should call it a black and white check."

"The monomaniac walked over to the mirror above the wash stand and surveyed himself. 'I can't understand that,' he said, turning, with a puzzled expression on his face. 'I could have sworn that it was the purple shirt that I took out of the drawer—and it had the identical effect. I don't see what could have made me speak harshly to that poor girl.'"

"I guess you'll have to put it down to natural cussedness and let it go at that," declared the silent partner. "Your shirt won't wash."—Chicago Daily Record.

Asked a Hard Question.

The following story, coming from Northampton, England, which is represented in parliament by Henry Labouchere, is not one of that gentleman's favorites, but is vouched for as true. One of "Lobby's" constituents, a homely workman, is responsible for it:

"One of my mates," said he, "has a little invalid girl that's very thoughtful, and the questions she asks are most surprising. She'd often heard Bill talking to the missis about the war and who was to blame for it, and one night she says:

"'Daddy, did God make Labby?'"

"And Bill he thought a bit and says:

"'Yes, love—I suppose so,' he says.

"So she thought a bit more and she says:

"'What for, daddy?'"

"'Bill was never so staggered. He put his considering cap on, but it was no good.

"'It's surprising what hard questions children can ask.'—Chicago Times-Herald.

HIS DARK ADVENTURE.

And There Were Unlimited Facilities for Making Light All About Him.

Mr. Norton tells the story plaintively, with an apologetic air. He says he doesn't expect anyone to believe him, only it is rough on a man of his age, who has always led a blameless life, to have everyone ask him what brand he drank when he completes his tale and waits for sympathy, relates the Chicago Daily News.

For years he has boarded at the home of Mrs. Sanford. So popular did her establishment become that she finally moved into a double house to gain more room. Doors had not yet been cut through connecting the houses, and the roomers assigned to the second house went in a different entrance. Mr. Norton, in the shuffle, got the front room in the second house and Mr. and Mrs. Russell the third room, the rest being tenantless. The Russells were away on a visit when Mrs. Sanford moved her boarding house, so the first night Mr. Norton was to be all alone in his glory. When he came home to dinner the landlady gave him a door key and hoped the arrangement suited him. Mr. Norton went out directly to play whist with some friends and did not get back till midnight.

He got upstairs in the lonely house all right and pulled out his match-box, which never in his life is allowed to go unfilled. Every match was gone, and he remembered he had dropped it on the floor at the card table and probably spilled the contents. It was pitch dark and raining hard outside. With his umbrella still tightly clasped under his arm, Mr. Norton began feeling along the walls for a chance match-box. He found the mantel and knocked over several mysterious things that crashed. He found pins and tacks and everything but matches, for a strange room is hard to feel at home in when it is midnight blackness. Still feeling his way, Mr. Norton moved out into the hall until he calculated he was opposite the door of the Russells' room, evidently open, for beyond he could see a faint light such as comes at night from an uncurtained window.

"Russell!" he called, to make sure. "anybody in this room?"

There was no answer, and he stepped in to pursue his hunt for matches and fell down the back stairs.

This acrobatic performance left him rather dazed. There were no broken bones, though the umbrella still under his arm came out slightly battered. Painfully he clambered up again to the second floor and tried to get his bearings. He shuffled slowly along till he found the end of the hall where he knew the bathroom was located. The window shade was down and he jerked it to let it up. With a crash the whole thing came to pieces and landed on his head. There was a flash of lightning at the same time, however, by the light of which the bewildered man saw on the wall before him a big match safe bulging with matches. This so cheered him that he did not mind a little thing like a curtain roller on his aching cranium.

He almost dared to walk rapidly back to his room and eagerly struck a match. It refused to light. He struck another feverishly. It followed suit. He struck six in a bunch and nothing happened. Then it dawned on him.

They were burned matches!

Mr. Norton was speechless. He laid down his umbrella, which he had cherished through all the vicissitudes of the adventure, climbed out of his clothes as best as he could and crept into bed, mad, disgusted, tired and headachy.

In the morning when he woke up he saw there was a matchbox within arm's reach, fully a foot long—according to him—brimful of fresh matches. Also there were matches in a china dish on the dresser and a whole boxful in the bathroom.

Still, he doesn't see why his friends take the disturbing attitude so general whenever he relates the story.

MAJORITY VOTE NEEDED.

After the First Ballot Minority Candidates in France Voluntarily Withdraw.

In France the agony of a general election is not unduly prolonged. The polling in every constituency takes place on the same day—a Sunday—and though owing to the existence of the second ballot all the individual results are not immediately known, a general idea of the outcome of the contest is at once secured, says the London Mail.

No political aspirant can take his seat in parliament unless he have secured an actual majority of the votes recorded. The working of the second ballot, which secures this result, is simplicity itself.

Three candidates put up for a constituency—Bonnaval (royalist), Durand (republican) and Dupont (socialist). Bonnaval secures 3,000 votes, Durand, 2,800 and Dupont, 1,900. In England, in similar circumstances, Bonnaval, although he had obtained only 3,000 of the 7,700 votes polled, would be elected; in France a second ballot is taken, and Durand, receiving most of the votes given in the first instance to Dupont, who withdraws, is returned at the head of the poll.

There may be half a dozen candidates for a seat, but in practice it works out that those who are in a hopeless minority at the first ballot withdraw and leave the final fight to the two who have secured the largest number of votes. In some cases the candidates withdrawing recommend their supporters to vote for one of the two who remain; in others they either are silent or suggest that their followers should abstain from any further participation in the combat.

The Wise Man.

A word to the wise may be sufficient, but he is sometimes wiser who doesn't speak it.—Chicago Daily News.

CHINESE BOOKS.

Are Written Without an Alphabet and Are Incapable of Being Read ALOUD.

A language without an alphabet sounds sufficiently curious, especially when it is added that it is a written language and the medium of communication throughout that enormous expanse of territory, the Chinese empire. Not only has the Chinese language no alphabet, but it is actually true that in its purest form, though it could, literally speaking, be read aloud, the sounds would have absolutely no significance whatever to a listener, says the London Express.

To the reader, of course, the written or printed page would convey all that the author wished it to. But in order to convey its meaning, say to a blind person, the reader would be compelled to find his own words, chosen from the spoken Chinese language. And his "translation" would be much more roundabout and lengthy than the written version.

Some idea of this singular fact may be gathered from the estimate that the fable of the "Fox and the Grapes," which can be told in 130 English words, could be narrated in 85 Chinese-written characters. To tell the story in spoken Chinese would require 163 words.

Written Chinese is practically uniform throughout the empire, and has hardly altered during the entire course of Chinese history. The spoken language, on the other hand, is constantly changing, and prevails in several dialects, some of which are quite unintelligible to Chinese from the different provinces.

But even the purest form of spoken Chinese is almost incomprehensible to a foreigner, except by the most arduous study, and after years of application the European continues to make the most ludicrous blunders. The reason for this is that the Chinese tongue has but 500 to 1,000 elementary words which form the base of their language—as the alphabet does of ours. In order to spin out these to their needs they pronounce them in different "tones," each "tone" giving an entirely altered meaning.

In some parts of the empire as many as eight "tones" are in use, giving eight significations to words whose actual pronunciation is otherwise the same. No wonder the European eas jibs at the task!—the ninth meaning of a Greek particle is nothing to the eighth "tone" of a Chinese noun.

Chinese has no grammar as we know grammar. According to its position in a sentence a word is either noun, adjective, verb or adverb—the word itself remains the same. In this respect Chinese is a "baby" among languages. But, like so many other things that the celestial has invented and left as he invented, the Chinese tongue has never grown up. And yet, with all its drawbacks, the literary men of the dowerly land have contrived to make it serve their purpose. But almost all the classic philosophical and historical works of the Chinese are written in the queer characters that only mean something to the eye and cannot be made to mean anything to the ear.

Where the Chinese language—written or spoken—came from nobody knows, any more than they know where the original Chinese themselves came from. But it is probable that the primary Chinese characters existed 5,000 years ago pretty much as they do to-day. They are written in vertical columns, which begin on the right of the paper. The instrument is a brush and a thick solution of India ink is the medium—the paper the familiar flimsy material made from rice straw.

Oddly enough, though, the Manchus, who are the ruling race in China, as well as their Tartar relatives, the Mongols, speak a language related to the Chinese, they have a proper alphabet, derived indirectly from the west. It was borrowed from the Syriac, which was derived from the Phoenician alphabet. And the Roman letters of to-day owe more than a little to the Phoenician. So the Tartar writing is at one end of a chain that stretches to our own A B C. The Tartars owe their alphabet to the Christian missionaries known as the Nestorians. But that is another story.

A Curious Russian Trade.

The Rostov police have just succeeded in arresting a woman who has been wanted for the past two years for having driven a lucrative trade in artificial mutilations. After her husband's death the widow continued the business, and by some want of caution aroused the attention of the police, but she has long managed to evade them, while continuing to perform her operations. By injecting under the skin at the joints some preparation of petroleum, she produces a very natural-looking contraction of the joint operated on. Her clients were those among the common people who desired, at as small an expense as possible, to escape being taken for soldiers, and among less deserving and richer people, a certain number of clever swindlers, who defrauded accident insurance companies by affecting the same kind of disfigurements. The last attempt, which led to the capture, was on a young man who had arranged to fall out of a train, and so account for his injuries to the insurance company, besides the possibility of getting a sum of money from the railway company.—London Standard.

Annual Production of Rubber.

It has been estimated that the approximate total production of rubber annually is 37,500 tons. Of this amount 21,000 tons are taken by the United States and Canada, 21,000 by the United Kingdom and 15,500 by the rest of Europe. The Amazon district produces 25,000 tons, and East and West Africa 24,000 tons; parts of South America other than the Amazon district, 3,500 tons.—Scientific American.

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BLOOD POISON.

In some cases the external signs of Contagious Blood Poison are so slight that the victim is firmly within the grasp of the monster before the true nature of the disease is known. In other cases the blood is quickly filled with this poisonous virus and the swollen glands, mucus patches in the mouth, sores on scalp, ulcers on tongue, sore throat, eruptions on skin, copper colored spots, and falling hair and eyebrows leave no room for doubt, as these are all unmistakable signs of Contagious Blood Poison.

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